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(Figures in parentheses, following number of note, refer to pages of English text.)

r (p. 53).—For locations of these Cayuga villages, see vol. li., p. 293.

2 (p. 81).—Regarding the sites of the Seneca villages, see vol. li., p. 203; and vol. viii., pp. 203, 302.

The Onnontiogas may have been a tribe dwelling on the river called Onnondokoui, now Gananoque, flowing into the St. Lawrence 18 miles N. E. of Kingston, Ont. It is somewhat curious that Frémin does not even allude to the early visits of missionaries to the Neutral tribes,—by the Récollet Daillon, in 1626-27; and by the Jesuits Brébeuf and Chaumonot, in 1640-41.

- 3 (p. 133).—For information concerning these tribes, see vol. xviii., note 16.
- 4 (p. 143).—In regard to this superstition, see vol. xxii., p. 95, and note 6.
- 5 (p. 171).— Keinouché (given by Cuoq as kinonje), the Algonkin name for the fish known as "pike;" applied to a clan of Ottawas having that fish as its totem. From this is derived the name of Kenosha, a city in S. E. Wisconsin.
- 6 (p. 209).—It has generally been supposed by historical writers that the mission of St. François Xavier, thus founded by Allouez, was from the first located at the entrance to the Fox River, at or near the present city of Green Bay, Wis. But the reader will notice that, when the Father set out upon his journey to the Fox and Mascouten villages in the following spring (p. 215 of this volume), he spent an entire day in reaching the entrance to the Fox River. Moreover, upon his return from that trip, he made another to the Menomonee village, at the mouth of the river of that name,—which, he states, was reight leagues from our cabin where he had made his winter quarters. Upon his first arrival in the preceding December, he found six Frenchmen there, who are mentioned by Allouez at the beginning of this letter as engaged in trade among the Pottawattomies—the tribe who had requested the Father to come to